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Sometime ago I submitted a request to the Personnel Branch requesting that you be employed in this organization at grade CAF-7, \$3597.20 per annum. Since submitting this request, the position for which I had requested your employment has been downgraded by the Civil Bervice Commission to a CAF-5, \$2644.80 per annum. I have discussed this with the Personnel Branch and have requested that they notify you of this change and ascertain whether or not you are interested in the position at the lower grade and salary.

I regret very much that this change has been made, but it is something over which I have no control, and I trust that you will be interested in the position. Promotion, of course, after you are once in the organization will be based strictly on merit.

If you do desire to accept this lower salary, you should be entering on duty with this organisation within the next few days. Your official notification should reach you in a few days from the Personnel Branch of the Central Intelligence Agency.

I thought you might appreciate me writing personally to explain the situation to you, and I should greatly appreciate your advising the Personnel Branch at the earliest possible date whether or not you intend to accept.

Sincerely yours,

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